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President: Mr. TRAXLER (Italy)
(Vice-President)

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In the absence of the President, Mr. Traxler (Italy), Vice-President, took the Chair

The meeting was called to order at 10.30 a.m.

HUMAN RIGHTS QUESTIONS (continued) (E/1992/22, E/1992/37, E/1992/144; E/1992/L.16, E/1992/L.21)

The PRESIDENT drew the Council's attention to draft decision E/1992/L.21, entitled "Provisional administrative measures related to the mandates adopted by the Commission on Human Rights at its forty-eighth session". If he heard no objection, he would take it that the Council wished to adopt the draft decision.

It was so decided.

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONAL MATTERS (continued) (E/1992/56; E/1992/L.22)

The PRESIDENT invited the Council to resume its consideration of the question of the regional allocation of seats in the three subsidiary bodies of the Economic and Social Council established by its decision 1992/218. He recalled that, at the resumed 8th meeting, the Vice-President of the Council had orally presented a formulation for the allocation of seats on the basis of informal consultations he had held. That proposal was now before the Council as draft decision E/1992/L.22, the footnote to which was to be revised to read: "Comprising government-nominated experts from different member States possessing the necessary qualifications and professional or scientific knowledge, who will act in their personal capacity, elected by the Economic and Social Council". That would bring the language of the draft decision into line with that of General Assembly resolution 46/235.

If he heard no objection he would take it that the Council wished to adopt the draft decision as orally revised.

It was so decided.

The PRESIDENT declared the resumed organizational session of the Council closed.

The meeting rose at 10.35 a.m.